34643 to 34654—Continued.

34649. PISUM SATIVUM L.

Pea.

"Aio endo. Toasted in a corn popper and sometimes sugared in different colors."

34650. PISUM ARVENSE L.

Pea.

"Aka endo. Toasted in a corn popper and boiled with sugar; used for ornamenting balls of white bean paste."

34651. Phaseolus vulgaris L.

Bean.

"Toroku mame (meaning that 10 of these beans equal 6 sun, or inches). Boiled with sugar, dried, and eaten as a confection."

34652. Phaseolus vulgaris L.

Bean.

"Naga uzura mame. Boiled and dipped in hot sirup (long quail)."

34653. Phaseolus vulgaris L.

Bean.

"Kintoku mame. Boiled and dipped in sirup and dried as candy."

34654. Soja max (L.) Piper. (Glycine hispida Moench.)

Soy bean.

"Shiroi daiozu. Used for making tofu or bean curd."

34655. ILEX PARAGUARIENSIS St. Hilaire.

Yerba maté.

From Buenos Aires, Argentina. Presented by Dr. Carlos Thays, director. Jardin Botánico. Received November 14, 1912.

See S. P. I. No. 29097 for description.

34656. Trifolium angustifolium L.

Clover.

Grown in the United States Department of Agriculture greenhouses at Washington, D. C., by Mr. G. W. Oliver, who collected the original seed 10 miles from Algiers. Numbered December 3, 1912.

34657. OSTERDAMIA MATRELLA (L.) Kuntze. **Manila grass.** (Zoysia pungens Willd.)

From the Philippine Islands. Secured by Mr. C. V. Piper, of the Bureau of Plant Industry. Numbered December 4, 1912.

"This grass is abundant on or near the seashore in the Philippine Islands. Where closely clipped it makes a beautiful lawn. The Luneta in Manila some years ago was planted to Bermuda grass, but at the present time more than 90 per cent of the grass is the Osterdamia, which has gradually displaced the Bermuda, which it closely resembles in habit and appearance. During the past season it has been grown under temporary No. 01643. The grass has unusual promise as a lawn grass, especially near the Gulf coast and the Atlantic coast of Florida." (Piper.)

34658. Paeonia sp.

Peony.

From Mongolia. Presented by Mr. William R. Maxon, United States National Museum, who procured them through Dr. A. Hrdlička. Received December 13, 1912.

"Locality, Mongolia, about 80 miles south of the Siberian boundary, between Kiakhta and Urga, altitude 2,800 feet, occupying a narrow strip 200 to 400 feet wide on each side of the extreme summit of the ridges trending east and west; collected August, 1912." (Maxon.)